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REMARKS

Claims 1-6 remain in the application with claim 1 being independent.


Claim 1 distinguishes over the prior art or any combination thereof by reciting the plate (40) presenting the key hole slot. There is no motivation in the references for the combination of claim 1 wherein a separate plate is attached to the fence and presents a keyhole shaped slot. Just because keyhole slots are well known does not render the use of such a slot in a new combination unpatentable. Applicant is entitled to a patent on the novel and specific combination set forth in claim 1.

Accordingly, it is respectfully submitted that the Application, as amended, is now presented in condition for allowance, which allowance is respectfully solicited. Applicant believes that no fees are due, however, if any become required, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees or credit any overpayments to Deposit Account 08-2789. Further and favorable reconsideration of the outstanding Office Action is hereby requested.

Respectfully submitted

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